

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: TAKAYAMA, et al.

Group Art Unit: 1742

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For. BUSHING FOR CRAWLER BELT AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: May 31, 2005

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated December 1, 2004 for three months, from March 1, 2005 to June 1, 2005.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$1,020.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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